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MEMORANDUM FOR: NFAC ADP Control Officer

FROM : [REDACTED]  
Chief, Management Staff, ODP

SUBJECT : APL Standards

REFERENCE : Your Memo to D/ODP, Same Subject,  
dtd. 18 November 1980

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1. In the referent memorandum to the Director of Data Processing, you asked that [REDACTED] of OER be named as CIA principal representative to the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) technical committee X3J10. This committee is tasked with standardizing the APL computer language and its chairman is Mr. Clark Wiedman, telephone (413) 586-8227. The work of the committee may result in the publication of a Federal Information Processing Standard (FIPS PUB) by the National Bureau of Standards among other benefits.

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2. During my telephone conversation on 18 November 1980 with Mr. Robert Smith of STSC (formerly named Scientific Time Sharing Corporation), telephone (301) 657-8220, and Mr. Wiedman's supervisor, Mr. Smith accepted the designation of [REDACTED] as the CIA principal representative to ANSI Committee X3J10.

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3. Your comment was noted that [REDACTED] attendance at X3J10 committee meetings would be funded by NFAC.

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cc: [REDACTED] DAC/SDG/OER  
Chairman, Agency-Wide Committee on  
Software Engineering Standards  
C/P&PG/MS/ODP  
Directorate ADP Control Officers  
OER ADP Control Officers  
Deputy Director for Applications, ODP  
Deputy Director for Processing, ODP  
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